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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to adopt the latest developments in the field of information technology to transform the judicial system;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has sanctioned many projects in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (KAPIL SIBAL)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Technology Information, Forecasting and Assessment Council (TIFAC) has initiated technology demonstration projects in the areas of forensic sciences and information and communication technology to facilitate better interface between Science and Technology and Judicial Processes.

(c) & (d): Five (5) projects as listed below have so far been sanctioned under the programme:

1. Normative Data for Brain Electrical Activation Profiling.

2. Digital Pen and Paper Technology for Capturing the Information at the Police Station.

3. Crime Scene Recording System.

4. Tamper proof and Secure Courtroom Digital Recording & Video Conferencing System.

5. Training the trainers of State Judicial Academics on S&T Application in Law and Administration.